

# TEAM De1TA

*Technology-based Economic Development Alliance in the Mississippi River Delta*



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TEAM De1TA's activities will be piloted in nine Delta communities, three in each of the participating states: the Arkansas communities are Monicello, Helena, and Dumas; the Louisiana communities are Monroe, Tallulah, and Delhi; and the Mississippi communities are Cleveland, Clarksdale, and Greenwood.



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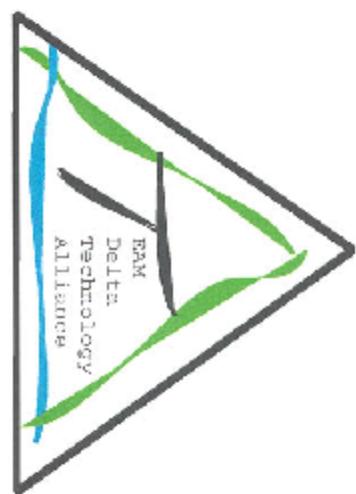
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## Helping Delta Communities Build A New Economy

Technology is changing everything: agriculture, industry, government and the economy. In order for the Mississippi River Delta to take advantage of new opportunities, it is important to understand the communities' existing resources, the new resources they can create, and which external resources can assist these communities.

TEAM DelTA was conceived to help communities develop this understanding and recognize the role of technology in contemporary economic development.

Technology-based Economic Development Workshops are one-day workshops to introduce the concepts of Community Technology Assessments and Web-based Learning Modules.

Community Technology Assessments will be used to examine value-added businesses and their linkages to resources that are important to their development and growth. These activities will lead to:

- identification of resources needed to support technology-based business creation and development in the Delta region;
- provide processes and "how-to" guides for conducting future assessments; and
- help communities understand how to build (or invest in) the local technology infrastructure.

**Web-based Learning Modules** will provide training to community stakeholders that will become a resource for building and implementing technology-based economic development strategies.

**Delta Region Accessing Technology Conference** will focus on the results of TEAM DelTA's work in each state, the lessons learned, and the opportunities for expansion to other businesses and communities.